

LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Hearing Room, 1st Floor, LaSalle Building, 617 North 3rd Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m. on **THURSDAY, NOVEMBER 13, 2008**, upon the application of **SAMSON CONTOUR ENERGY E&P, LLC**.

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of Orders pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Hosston Formation, Reservoir A, the Upper Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A, and the Lower Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A**, in the Vernon Field, Jackson Parish, Louisiana.

HOSSTON FORMATION, RESERVOIR A

1. To create one (1) additional drilling and production unit for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the Hosston Formation, Reservoir A.
2. To force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within the proposed unit with each tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation.
3. Except to the extent contrary herewith, to extend to the proposed additional unit all pertinent provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 798-A, effective February 28, 1980, as amended and supplemented by the 798-A Series of Orders and applicable Statewide Orders.
4. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Hosston Formation, Reservoir A was previously defined in Order No. 798-A, effective February 28, 1980, and was further defined in Order No. 798-A-1, effective August 18, 1982.

UPPER COTTON VALLEY FORMATION, RESERVOIR A

1. To create one (1) additional drilling and production unit for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the Upper Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A.
2. To force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within the proposed unit with each tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation.
3. Except to the extent contrary herewith, to extend to the proposed additional unit all pertinent provisions of Order No. 798-C-2, effective December 22, 1982, as amended and supplemented by the 798-C Series of Orders and applicable Statewide Orders.
4. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Upper Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A was redefined in Order No. 798-C-10, effective January 22, 2002.

LOWER COTTON VALLEY FORMATION, RESERVOIR A

1. To create one (1) additional drilling and production unit for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the Lower Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A.
2. To force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within the proposed unit with each tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation.
3. Except to the extent contrary herewith, to extend to the proposed additional unit all pertinent provisions of Order No. 798-B, effective January 23, 1981, as amended and supplemented by the 798-B Series of Orders and applicable Statewide Orders.
4. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Lower Cotton Valley Formation, Reservoir A was defined in Order No. 798-B-23, effective January 22, 2002, and was redefined as to Sand Unit 181 in Order No. 798-B-126, effective July 2, 2008, which latter redefinition should be extended to proposed Sand Unit 182.

Plats are available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge and Shreveport**, Louisiana.

www.dnr.state.la.us/CONS/CONSEREN/hearings/pubhearings.htm.

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

BY ORDER OF:

JAMES H. WELSH
COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION

Baton Rouge, LA

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IF ACCOMMODATIONS ARE REQUIRED UNDER AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, PLEASE ADVISE THE OFFICE OF CONSERVATION-ENGINEERING DIVISION AT P.O. BOX 94275, BATON ROUGE, LA 70804-9275 IN WRITING WITHIN TEN (10) WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING DATE.